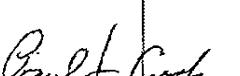
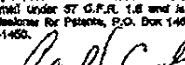


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)				Docket No. 200300259
In Re Application Of: Ralph Starkewald et al.				
Serial No. 09/660,755	Filing Date 09/13/2003	Examiner Robert J. Paporos	Group Art Unit 1724	
Invention: PROCESS AND FILTER FOR FILTERING A SLURRY				
<u>TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>				
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>March 26, 2003</u> in the above-identified application. <u>Date</u>				
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months from: <u>June 26, 2003</u> until: <u>July 26, 2003</u> <u>Date</u> <u>Date</u>				
The fee for the extension of time is <u>3110</u> and is to be paid as follows:				
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <u>13-3577</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. <u>13-3577</u>				
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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on <u>July 23, 2003</u> with the U.S. Postal Service at the place and under <u>37 C.F.R. 1.8</u> and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1400, Alexandria, VA 22313-1400.  <i>Paul J. Cook</i> <i>Agent for Patent Filing Correspondence</i>				
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